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CALVIN COOLIDGE BECOMES PRES. U. S.!

Nation Mourns Death Of Pres. W. G. Harding

Highest Officer of the Land Passes Away Suddenly From Attack of Cerebral Apoplexy While His Wife Is Reading To Him at 7:30, Pacific Time, and All Others are Absent From Bedroom

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Aug. 2.—With heads bowed in grief, the American nation today mourns the passing of its president. Death struck down Warren G. Harding at 7:30 p. m. Thursday following a day of renewed hope for his recovery. His death was due to cerebral apoplexy and came instantly and without warning as his wife read to him. It was all over in the twinkling of an eye. Mrs. Harding is standing the shock well. At dawn almost all arrangements to take the body back to Washington had been completed. The trip is to start early today and end Tuesday. The body will probably lie in state in the capitol. Burial will be in Marion, Oho. Military honors will be paid to the dead commander by the army and navy throughout the trip.

Political Complications.

President Harding's death throws new complexities into the political situation within the Republican party and undoubtedly will have far-reaching reflections in the National convention next year. It probably will turn what many expected to be merely a ratification meeting into a contest for republican presidential nomination with the stalwart conservative republican forces aligned on one side and the forces represented by special leaders such as Senators Johnson of California, Borah of Idaho and La Follette of Wisconsin on the other. Six months ago the renomination of President Harding without any substantial contest seemed assured.

Biographical Sketch

Mr. Harding came of hardy pioneer stock. He was born at Blooming Grove, Morrow county, Ohio, November 2, 1865, the son of a country doctor, George T. Harding. Like most country boys he went to country school between morning and night chores and later attended college at Iberia, Ohio. He tried school teaching for a year, but having had a small of printers' ink while sticking type for his college paper, the lure drew him into the newspaper field. His family meantime moved to Marion in an adjoining county where he obtained his first newspaper job, and where his life interests were centered thereafter. Mr. Harding's ambition was to become a publisher, and it was realized at the age of 19 when he bid on the Marion Star at a sheriff's sale. The paper was purchased under a heavy mortgage and his friends have often said that the struggles and hardships which were his in making this paper a success had much to do in fashioning his character and developing a broad patience and tolerance which were his chief characteristics.

Had Pride in Work.

Whatever his other attainments, Mr. Harding's greatest pride was in his professional accomplishments and training as printer, editor and publisher. Nor did the interests and exacting duties of his high office serve to dull his delight in pottering about a composing room. On his first trip back home after his inauguration, he went to the Star offices, pulled off his coat, rolled up his sleeves, borrowed a chew of tobacco and helped "make up" the paper. His luck charm was a printer's rule, carried always in a vest pocket.

As his ambition had carried him into the ranks of publishers so his fancy took him into the realm of politics. From the first he was an ardent partisan and his insistence upon wearing a "stove pipe hat" the badge of support of James G. Blaine, while a reporter on a democratic newspaper brought his sharp reprimand from his chief, who held it to be inconsistent for a worker on a democratic paper to so prominently display the symbol of his republicanism.

Was a Good Speaker.

The future president's ability as a stump speaker won him early recognition from his local party leaders. Marion county then was in the democratic column and he undertook to switch it to the republican party, but his first effort at office on his party ticket resulted in a defeat, though he commanded an unexpected vote. Mr. Harding's first political office was that of Ohio State senator, to which he was elected at the age of 34. He served two terms and later was elected lieutenant-governor of his State. In 1910 he sought the governorship of his State but was defeated. Four years later he was elected to the United States senate, where he served six years, much of the time as a member of the important foreign relations committee.

LUBBOCK GIVEN TECH COLLEGE SAYS BIZZELL

FORT WORTH, Texas, Aug. 8.—The locating board of the Texas Technological College meeting in the Texas Hotel this afternoon unanimously selected Lubbock for the location of the new institution, according to a wire from President W. B. Bizzell.

AUTO LICENSES FOR COUNTY SINCE JUNE

The following licenses for new automobiles have been issued in Brazos county since July 30: Jack J. Depuma, O. Martinsen, H. Reed, R. L. Seale, S. R. Simpson, George Stephan, Mrs. Winnifield Burchard, Mrs. Geo. W. Barnes, Hugo Lenz, R. H. Mitchell, W. S. Meal, Robt. K. Fletcher, J. M. Williams, M. B. Easters, W. N. Dulaney, Oy Arrigua, C. W. Crawford.

JULIUS RAHNERT, AGE 78, DIES IN KURTEN

Julius Rahnert, a pioneer citizen of the Kurten community, died Tuesday night of the infirmities of old age. He was a native of Germany, and at the time of his death was nearly 78 years of age. The funeral was held Thursday afternoon with services conducted by Rev. J. J. Kasiske, with interment in the Kurten Cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Edge and little daughter Lynette spent Sunday in Wellborn, guests of Mrs. Edge's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. McSwain.

FORMER PRES. BORNE IN SORROW OVER RECENT ROUTE OF TRIUMPH

General John J. Pershing Rides Ahead—Ex-Presidents Wilson and Taft Participate in Procession Which Bears Earthly Remains of Popular Leader in Pilgrimage to National Capitol.

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Aug. 8.—A swelling tide of honors bore Warren Harding back over the road which he came, triumphant to presidency two years ago. It was a few minutes past 10:00 a. m. when the procession swung out from the White House gates for the pilgrimage to the Capitol with General Pershing riding ahead. A marching escort of soldiers, sailors, and marines led the way. Behind the escort came President Coolidge. Following the president were a great body of American citizenry, men who keep the wheels of Government moving, military bands, interspersed in columns, played old hymns that stir and comfort. Former President Wilson, Chief Justice Taft, the only living ex-presidents were also in the funeral procession. Tenderly the president was carried for the last time from the portals of the White House and placed again on the artillery caisson that had borne him last night from the funeral train to the east room. Before the caisson, as it was carried from the White House walked two ministers selected to officiate later at the funeral in the rotunda of the capitol. They were Dr. Freeman Anderson, pastor of Mr. Harding's church here, and Dr. James Montgomery, chaplain of the House of Representatives. Pennsylvania avenue, long in silence hitherto disturbed only by the chanting of restless mounts of the troopers was broken by the strains of Chopin's funeral march, played by the army band. Only a brief delay came until the last journey of Warren Harding along the historic thoroughfare was begun between dense crowds that made an aisle from the White House to the Capitol. After the body of President Harding reached the capitol it was placed on cantafalque first built for Lincoln. At 11:40 Doctor Anderson began the invocation. The male quartette of the Calvary Baptist church, Mr. Harding's church of worship, sang "Lead Kindly Light". A simple prayer was offered by Doctor Montgomery. Then followed the singing of "Nearer My God To Thee" by the quartette and a benediction by Doctor Anderson. The National Government had concluded its last rites for its president. The religious ceremony took twenty minutes. After the religious ceremony the doors were opened and thousands of persons outside began to pass slowly by the caisson. Immediately after the official funeral service, Mrs. Harding accompanied by Mr. Christian and Doctor Sawyer, departed for the White House for a few minutes. Later President Coolidge departed for his suite in the Willard hotel. Chief Justice Taft and others lingered but a short while at the capitol. Former President Wilson, whose illness prevented his attendance at the funeral in the rotunda, left the cortege at the Capitol plaza.

(By Associated Press)
PLYMOUTH, Vermont, Aug. 3.—Vice President Calvin Coolidge became president of the United States at 2:47 this morning when he took the oath of office in the living room of his father's farm house at this little mountain village where he was born.

WEDDING ANNOUNCEMENT

The following wedding announcement will be read in Bryan with much interest as Mr. and Mrs. Norwood formerly made their home in Bryan and have many friends here. Mr. Norwood while in Bryan was at the head of a large mercantile business and such men as: E. W. Crenshaw, W. F. Gibbs, W. R. Thomas and the late J. M. Hare were in his employ. The announcement reads: "Mr. and Mrs. Burt Norwood request the honor of your presence at the marriage of their daughter Kathreen to Charles Holt Dobb, junior, Lieutenant, United States Army, on Wednesday evening, August twenty-second, nineteen hundred and twenty-three, six o'clock, First Baptist church, Brownwood, Texas. At home Fort Sam Houston, Texas."

CHARTER IS GRANTED BY SECRETARY STATE TO INTERURBAN ROAD

(By Associated Press)
AUSTIN, Tex., Aug. 7.—A charter was granted by the secretary of state today to the Bryan-College Traction Company of Bryan, whose purpose is to construct and operate and maintain an electric or gas railway line between Bryan and College Station. The capital is issued at \$27,500 and the charter for fifty years.

LAWYERS RETURN MONDAY

F. L. Henderson and Robert Armstrong returned last night from Austin where they went to get a charter from the secretary of state for the Bryan-College Traction company. A charter was granted the company on a capitalization of \$27,500. Officers of the corporation are: Eugene Edge, president; E. H. Astin, vice president; James Sullivan secretary and J. M. Gordon, treasurer. Other directors are: Walter Wiprecht, Dr. F. C. Bolton, J. Webb Howell, John M. Lawrence and George G. Chance.

COUNTY HEALTH NURSE ASSURED FOR BRAZOS COUNTY—MRS. BEERS

(From Tuesday's Daily.)
The Parent-Teachers Association this morning, through their general chairman, Mrs. J. B. Beers, announced that a county health nurse for Brazos county was now an assured fact. Judge H. O. Ferguson by virtue of his office is vested with the power to select the nursing committee, under whose direction the selection of the nurse will come. Judge Ferguson will appoint this committee this week and work will then actively begin. The board of trustees of the public school, the city commission, county commissioners with the Parent-Teachers Association of Bryan and College, with perhaps other organizations has made this work possible by underwriting the \$1,500 which will be matched by a like amount from the federal and state aid to carry on the work.

Red Cross Donates.

The Brazos County Red Cross has donated to the work of the county health nurse, its Health work equipment, consisting of a Ford coupe, scales, nurse bag and equipment, to be used by the incoming nurse in the county work. The Red Cross has labored for an organized health work in Brazos county, long and faithfully and through its board of directors generously donates this valuable gift, to help carry the vital message of health to the people.

POULTRY ASSOCIATION PREPARES FOR GREAT EXHIBIT IN THE FALL

The Brazos County Poultry Association met in regular session in the Chamber of Commerce rooms at 8 o'clock Monday night. Will M. Jones presided. V. J. Boriskie was appointed superintendent of the next poultry show which is to be held December 5-6-7. V. J. Boriskie, D. D. White and W. O. Sanders were appointed a committee to work out the most feasible plans for entrance fees, premiums, etc. D. D. White reported on the progress made by the egg-marketing committee. The following were present at the meeting: Will M. Jones, Fred Kohler, Philip Mittelman, John S. Clark, C. L. Beason, Harry Rubinsky, D. D. White, V. J. Boriskie, Mrs. W. N. Dellaney, C. E. Jenkins, Carl Wiprecht, Albert Plagens and W. O. Sanders.

County Agent R. B. Ewing and wife of Franklin were shopping in Bryan Saturday, the guests of County Agent Beason and family for dinner.

LITTLE INVALID GIRL CALLED HOME TO REST AFTER LIFE OF PAIN

Mary Belle Blackwell, the twelve-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Blackwell, died Wednesday morning at 5:30 o'clock at the residence of C. G. Parsons in this city where the family make their home. An invalid and cripple since birth, the little one was called home to heaven, where all pain and suffering will cease, and wherein the light of God's love, her soul will live through eternity. The bereaved parents will be comforted with the thought that she is at rest, and although their hearts are breaking with grief, they can look beyond today to that eternal tomorrow in heaven. The funeral will be conducted from the home, Thursday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock, by Rev. Wm. N. Sholl, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Bryan, with interment following in the City Cemetery.

NEW PASSENGER LINE TO VALLEY JUNCTION BRINGS TRADE OFFER

In order to encourage trading at Bryan on the part of people at Valley Junction and points between here and there on the L-G. N. served by the passenger car recently added to the local freight, some Bryan merchants are advertising that they will refund one-way fare for purchases amounting to \$10 and two-way fare for purchases amounting to \$20 when the conductor's receipt for fare is presented to the merchant at the time of paying the bill. This train is very convenient to persons along this line as it permits them to leave Valley Junction at 7:00 a. m. and return at 2:10 after spending about four hours in Bryan.

"WHAT ARE WE GOING TO WEAR THIS FALL" QUESTION FOR WOMEN

Now that cotton is being harvested and merchants are off to Eastern style shows to study the fashions and make fall purchases, the one question you hear on every side from the women is "What are we going to wear this fall?" It makes no difference how fiercely shine the rays of Old Sol in this torrid month of August, women will get perturbed by autumn whisperings. Already shop windows have begun to blossom out in autumn glory and fashions for the coming fall cast their shadows before.

A Season of Colors.

According to those who profess to know it is to be a season of "gorgeous, glorious riot of beautiful fabrics and wonderful colors. Shiny weaves are to be quite ultra. Satin will return to a prominent place, and black satin frocks, beautifully embroidered, will find favor as after-noon dresses, while frocks of chiffons and crepes, exquisitely patterned in gold or silver or embellished with bright gold lace, will add beauty to the evening event. The black lace dinner frock that adds youth to the matron or becomes with a charming air of dignity the petite type (she who was known some time ago as the flapper) is expected to be popular. And as if the beauty of the fabric weren't enough, it is predicted that everything will be wonderfully embroidered or beaded, gold and silver beads and rhinestones being especially popular. A rhinestone buckle holding in place a graceful drape, will be used with effect by many modistes."

MEMORIAL PROGRAM ON COURT HOUSE LAWN TO HONOR FALLEN LEADER

The following is the program which will be rendered on the Court House lawn at 8 o'clock, Friday evening, August 10, in memory of the late president Warren G. Harding. Hon. F. L. Henderson will be in charge of services. Song, "America," led by Gabe Cazell; Invocation, Rev. W. N. Sholl; Song, "Abide With Me;" Address, Rev. H. C. Willis; Song, "Lead Kindly Light," Gabe Cazell and others; Address, Rev. J. B. Gleissner; Song, "Rock of Ages;" Address, Hon. W. C. Davis; Song, "Nearer My God To Thee;" Benediction, Rev. C. N. Calmes.

SCHOOL TRUSTEE MEETING POSTPONED TO SEPTEMBER

The meeting of county and district school trustees, formerly called for August 13, has been postponed until September 1. It will take place in the county superintendent's office at the court house at 10:00 a. m. W. L. POWERS, Chairman, D. J. McDONALD, Secretary.

Fred L. Cavitt caught the first message in Bryan of the death of President Harding in San Francisco on his radio about 11:00 o'clock at night and was giving out the information to his friends. The radio is proving a popular means of spreading news.

DOUGLAS SULLIVAN KILLED AFTER QUARREL WITH HIS FATHER-IN-LAW

P. K. Trant Undergoes Preliminary Trial On Charge Killing Son-in-Law Douglas Sullivan Following Altercation Over Treatment Of Trant's Daughter—Released on \$2,500 Bond.

P. K. Trant, 33 years old charged with killing Douglas Sullivan 24 in front of the home of the former Tuesday afternoon underwent preliminary examination this morning at 10:00 in the court of Judge J. W. Hamilton. His bond was fixed at \$2,500, which was promptly furnished by persons present, and Mr. Trant was released on this bond to await the action of the grand jury which convenes September 17. Sheriff L. E. Morehead and J. E. McGee were the witnesses called. It was brought out in the examining trial that Douglas Sullivan married Miss Glada Mae Trant, 15-year old daughter of P. K. Trant, June 17, 1923, since which time had had several times mistreated her. On Tuesday noon, according to evidence, he was displeased with the lateness of her dinner which she claimed was due to her having washed that morning, and that he quarreled with and beat her. Upon his departure, the wife went across the street to the home of her mother, Mrs. P. K. Trant, and remained there. After the return of P. K. Trant, Mr. Sullivan, according to the evidence, came over to her father's house and demanded her return. An altercation resulted in which Sullivan was shot and killed. Mr. Sullivan had but recently come to Bryan and was freight clerk at the H. and T. C. depot. His relatives live in Courtney, Grimes county. His remains are being held by McCulloch-Gordon Company. The remains will be shipped this afternoon to Navasota and met by relatives.

FIVE DIE WHEN AUTO IS SMASHED BY TRAIN AT HUNTINGTON, IND.

(By Associated Press)
HUNTINGTON, Ind., Aug. 7.—Five persons were killed, four injured, two of whom may die, when a freight train on the Elgin, Joliet and Eastern Railroad crashed into an automobile at Griffith, Indiana this morning. The automobile tried to cross ahead of the train.

THIRTEEN DIRECTORS OF THE COUNTRY CLUB CHOSEN MONDAY AFT.

At the annual meeting of members of the Country Club held in the Carnegie Library auditorium Monday afternoon at five the following directors were elected: R. W. Howell, O. E. Saunders, Thomas Lundin, Wilson Bradley, C. M. Cole, J. E. Covey, A. M. Waldrop, J. W. Batts, Dr. J. O. Morgan, W. W. Kraft, C. A. Felker, E. B. LaRoach and James Sullivan. The election of officers will be held by the directors later.

CHAMBER DIRECTORS PLAN TO ENTERTAIN DISTRICT INSTITUTE

(From Tuesday's Daily.)
The regular weekly meeting of the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce was held at ten o'clock this morning. The most important business which came before the house was the reading of a letter by Chairman T. K. Lawrence from Prof. J. Horace Kraft, professor of vocational education at A. and M. College, stating that the district teacher's institute will be held at College Tuesday, Sept. 4, and that a large crowd is expected. The matter of arranging for Bryan's part in the entertainment of this institute was referred to the committees on finance and entertainment. Secretary Eberstadt asked for a vacation some time this month. A vacation was granted him by vote of the directors and the matter of setting a time was left to President J. M. Gordon. Mrs. Lee J. Rountree was the only member of the committee on the tourist camp present, the others being out of town. She had no report to make. D. D. White & Co. and H. H. Young were reported as new members of the Chamber of Commerce.

Directors present at the meeting were: President J. M. Gordon, Wilson Bradley, Travis B. Bryan, W. H. Cole, J. Webb Howell, F. L. Henderson, M. L. Parker, John M. Lawrence, T. K. Lawrence, Oak McKenzie, City Manager E. E. McAdams, Major L. L. McInnis, Mrs. Lee J. Rountree, M. E. Wallace and W. R. Fairman.

MARRIAGE LICENSES FOR BRAZOS COUNTY

The following marriage licenses have been issued in Brazos county since July 30: J. H. Stallings and Pearl Drummond; Gillie Sandles and Josie Crawford; Clyde Wilson and Oro Videt Brown; Silas Brown and Ida Fuller; Stuart Boatwright and Brevard Knox; Ollie Perkins and Mamie Galloway; Matthew Berryman and Bobbie Johnson; Ira Jenkins and Winnie Stewart; Tom Vanhook and Bessie Nelson; Jose Hernandez and Estelle Hernandez.

CONVERTED CATHOLIC PRIEST FIFTY YEARS EXPLAINS HIS CHANGE

Rev. L. A. Benner, a missionary Baptist converted from the Catholic church, spoke before a small audience in the First Baptist church Tuesday night at 8 o'clock. He told how he had for 53 years been an ardent Catholic and how after the World War he was converted to the "Christian Baptist" church as a result of being placed in a stateroom with a Presbyterian minister, a northern Baptist minister, and a Southern Baptist minister. Since that time, he said, he had been devoting his energies to convincing Catholic people of the alleged error of their belief. He is a native of Alsace Lorraine, a French possession at the time of his birth, was brought up a Catholic, and educated for and served as a priest. He said that he had no hatred for the church he had left but loved his former brethren and pitied their charges for their alleged error and enslaved minds. Following his address he invited questions. He was asked why, following his turning away from the Catholic church he did not become a Methodist or a member of some other church other than the Baptist. He replied that he did not become a Methodist because that church would have recognized the christening given to him in the Catholic church when he was three days old and he wanted to get as far away from Catholicism as possible. In the discussion of churches which followed, he was asked if the Baptist church is a Protestant church. He said it is not because the Baptist church was founded A. D. 30 (about the time Jesus was baptized in the Jordan) and that the Baptist church was never a protesting church but the one from which the Catholic church grew.

JUDGE DAVIS GIVES GRADUATING ADDRESS AT BAYLOR COLLEGE

BELTON, Tex., Aug. 8.—Seventeen degrees were conferred today by Baylor College upon students who attending the summer school, have completed the amount of college work required for graduation. Judge W. C. Davis of Bryan delivered the graduating address. On the same night thirty-four academy seniors were awarded diplomas at exercises conducted at Alma Reeves Chapel. Those upon whose degrees were bestowed include: Lena Cole, El Paso; Inus Durrett, Belton; Mildred Fort, Cooper; Jo Green, Bertram; Arril Gilstrap, Belton; Hazel Hickson, Buckholts; Elizabeth Hillier, Belton; Trula Anne Horn, Lawton, Ok.; Leona Lavenduskay, Belton; Ruby Lowe, Fort Worth; Bengie Mullican, Marshall; Mrs. Ava Harrison, Nial; Mabelle Outlar, Wharton; Mollie Mae Phillips, Chickasha, Ok.; Maurine Smith, Pittsburg; Pearl Smith, Llano; Evelyn B. Sterling, Wichita Falls.

JUDGE DAVIS SPEAKS IN HONORING HARDING

FRANKLIN, Tex., Aug. 8.—Memorial services were held on the court house lawn here Saturday afternoon in respect to the memory of the late President Harding. The service consisted of several patriotic songs and an address by District Judge W. C. Davis.

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HOW MUCH IS YOUR SENSE OF HONOR WORTH?

How much is your reputation for honesty worth to you? It would be hard to estimate, you answer. Then how much is your sense of honesty worth to you? That suggests a good story along this line. An elderly gentleman who had boarded a street car found after he had sat down that the conductor had failed to take the nickel out of the dollar he offered him for his fare. He made some exclamation concerning the matter to a young man who sat in the seat with him, before he got up to pay his fare. "Oh! I wouldn't worry about that," replied the young man, "you need the money worse than the company does." "Young man," said the older of the two with dignity, "when I get ready to sell my honor I'll get more than five cents for it!" How much is your honor worth?

KURTEN CELEBRATES

To express its happiness at being awarded so large a portion of the prizes offered to the several Brazos county communities on Brazos County Day at the Farmers' Short Course the people of Kurten, assisted by their neighbors, held a celebration Friday night. It was a memorable occasion. It showed that the community spirit for which Brazos county has come to be noted has not at all lessened, but rather grown more intense. Among the speakers was Director T. O. Walton who expressed the hope that now that the people of Kurten and Brazos county have found out how to co-operate in one way they would co-operate in many other ways to their mutual benefit. Director Walton was right. The co-operation toward winning prizes for the community is only a first step toward more substantial and profitable co-operation.

IS MARRIAGE A FAILURE?

There are so many divorces and applications for divorces in the United States, particularly in the cities, that some one has facetiously proposed the question: "Is marriage a failure?" One who examines the divorce records in Canada will soon decide that it is not—at least, in Canada. Statistics there show that in the Dominion only two-thirds of one per cent of those who marry get divorces. This is said to be approximately one-seventeenth of the proportion in the United States. In some American cities the proportion is vastly greater than that. On the other hand, one province in Canada, Prince Edward Island, has granted only one divorce since 1868. From these figures we are led to think that more marriages might be made a success in the United States if the matter were properly handled. Haste in marriage is possibly the greatest cause of later discontent and application for divorce. A legal requirement that all marriages must be published thirty days in advance might help considerably here. The medical examination of contracting parties and the prohibition of marriage by persons physically and mentally unfit might help some and it would certainly rebound to the good of the race. And not least of the deterrents to ill-considered marriages would be uniform divorce laws in all states. It is not so necessary that divorces be made harder to get as it is that marriage licenses be so difficult to obtain.

WHAT DOES IT TAKE TO MAKE HAPPINESS?

A local business man says that some time ago he went into a piece of woods bordering a road to get a drink from a spring he knew of. As he bent down over the cool, clear water which was enclosed by a sunken barrel, he heard footsteps approaching and heard a voice say, "Hello, Sam." Looking up, he saw a boyhood acquaintance of his hatless and barefooted. After the exchange of greetings, his friend invited him to go over the hill and meet his wife. Going over there he found a woman cooking over an open fire the plainest of fare. Near her were several small children and a ragged tent containing a bed. But the woman was not at all downcast with her lot. Her face beamed when the visitor was introduced and she and her husband seemed as happy as two folks could be. The experience was a revelation to the man telling the story as to how happy folks can be and yet have practically nothing. Here was an illustration of the fact that our happiness in life is largely the result of our attitude toward our surroundings and our associates. This couple were happy because they loved each other, gloried in the freedom of outdoors and envied nobody anything. Many of us could profit by this example.

OUR NEW PRESIDENT

The United States is unfortunate in losing its president but if that had to be then it is fortunate in having so valuable a man for his successor. Our new president, Calvin Coolidge, is a man noted for his strong convictions and unyielding adherence to the line of duty as he sees it. He is also the possessor of many other good qualities, so many in fact that he will likely be a spirited contender for the next Republican nomination. We wish him well in the short unexpired portion of Harding's term which is his to show his mettle in.

Day by day Brazos county poultry is becoming better known throughout Texas and the United States.

THE PRESIDENT IS DEAD

President Harding is dead. He has literally given his health and finally his life to the people of the United States. Not being satisfied with being on duty day and night, technically, and in fact, at his offices in Washington, he has gone to the inclement climate of Alaska, heretofore neglected by the presidents and mismanaged by the politicians, to learn of those people and their needs that he might give them political and economic justice from Washington. The strain of travel and the rigors of the climate were too much for him and he was struck first with pneumonia and then with apoplexy after he had gathered the information desired. Other presidents have gone out of office physical wrecks but he was the first to meet natural death in office. All honor to our fallen leader.

THE ACME OF DEMOCRACY

One hundred forty-seven years ago the fathers of American government established a nation which they hoped would forever remain a democracy and forever be proof against the threat of monarchial or aristocratic government. How well they succeeded is illustrated in the inauguration of Calvin Coolidge to the presidency of the United States. The inauguration took place at the town where Coolidge was born. There was no ringing of bells, there was no procession, there was no shouting multitude, there was no boom of great naval guns—just a simple American citizen without ostentation or formality quietly took up the reins of government which had fallen to him overnight. The people were unaware of the happening but slept on in comfort. With the rising of the next day's sun, the greatest, richest and most powerful of nations had a new president and that was democracy.

FEWER ELECTIONS

It has been said of the presidents of the United States that they spend the first two years of their term learning their job and the next two pulling wires in order to keep it. Possibly this is too severe an arraignment but there is considerable truth in it. Why not elect them for six years and make them ineligible to succeed themselves. Then they would have at least four years of uninterrupted good service and they would have no occasion for wire pulling. This plan would also reduce the cost of electing presidents by at least half and relieve the country of half the number of periodical business disturbances it has because of impending presidential elections.

AGRICULTURE FOR BUSINESS

Dean Kyle of the School of Agriculture in A. and M. College, speaking before the newspaper men and women assembled for the Agricultural Writers' Conference, last week, said a pertinent thing. He said that the business man of Texas should take a course in agriculture, the four years' course as now taught at A. and M. He gave this as his reason: "Texas is an agricultural state and the basis of her business must therefore be agriculture." He showed that the business man, whatever his special line, should be familiar with agricultural problems that he might at times conserve his own business by knowing the possibilities and probabilities of agriculture. He said that his school is getting many more calls than it can fill for men trained in agricultural economics and administration, and that banks and railroads are already using large numbers of its graduates.

Food For Thought.

There is a fund of food for thought in that suggestion. It has come to be accepted as an essential factor in a business man's life that he secure a college education in his preparation for successful business. If that is true, and none will gainsay the advantage the college-trained man holds over the man who miscecolleges training, doesn't it seem altogether reasonable that this college training should be in that school of thought which has as its subject matter the very ground rock of our industrial life? If it is good mental training to teach the classics and the tools of the ancients, why wouldn't it be better mental training to teach the wonderful lessons found in the agricultural life and possibilities of Texas? Since our lives are interdependent in results, it would be good business for that groceryman to know the problems confronting those engaged in the very source of our industrial life. The knowledge of how to eradicate ticks is just as refining as the knowledge of how many wives a certain old fossil of ancient times had.—Texas Commercial News.

I have visited many countries and have been in cities without number, yet never did I visit a town which could not produce ten or twelve little great men; all fancying themselves known to the rest of the world and complimenting each other upon their extensive reputations.—Goldsmith.

Give the world the best you have, and the best will come back to you.—Exchange.

How beautiful can time with goodness make an old man look.—Jerold.

SPEND-THE-DAY PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Rosprim, children Lucile, Willie, Jamie, Katherine and Lee James, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lero and children, Alfert, Fred, Emory and Joe, and Master John Vitay enjoyed a family spend-the-day party on the Little Brazos river at the Higgs crossing on Sunday. Plenty of good "eats" and swimming was enjoyed.

Purity and healing power are the chief characteristics of Liquid Borozone. It mends torn, cut, burned or scalded flesh with wonderful promptness. Price, 30c, 60c and \$1.20. Sold by all druggists.—Adv.

GABE CAZELL TELLS PERSONAL MEMORIES OF WARREN HARDING

"The late President Warren G. Harding was a wonderful man," said Gabe Cazell Saturday after having confessed a personal acquaintance with the late chief executive. "I knew him in Marion, Ohio, from 1903 to 1907, and again in San Antonio in 1917. He used to come to San Antonio to visit Ed Scooby, head of the largest mercantile establishments of the South and now head of the United States mint. I have sat across the table from him in Rotary luncheons in the days before he was nominated for president," continued Mr. Cazell. Referring again to the days at Marion, Ohio, Mr. Cazell said that Mrs. Harding, a plain, sincere woman, was a great aid to her husband in the days when he was struggling to put the Marion Star on its feet. She was always with him. She used to come to the office frequently to help him and sometimes when the newsboys got too boisterous for her she used to switch them, related Mr. Cazell. Mr. Harding, he continued, was a great friend of the boys and never lost an opportunity to befriend a poor boy. Mr. Harding's chief diversion was golf, he said, but he also indulged in hunting and fishing.

TWO DRAW FINES FOR NEGLECTING TO PARK AS FIRE TRUCKS PASS

Two Bryan citizens were fined in the City Court Monday morning at nine o'clock for failing to park when a fire truck was about to pass. Judge L. D. McGee presided. This action was in accordance with a recent city ordinance that upon the sounding of the fire alarm every person driving any kind of vehicle must drive as closely as possible to the curb and not closer than 25 feet to a corner and wait until the trucks have passed. The ordinance was passed some months ago as an emergency matter there being no such law at the time. Second count in fighting a fire, say city officials, and any interference with the passage of passing of fire trucks endangers the lives of the firemen and of other citizens, particularly women and children. More firemen are killed on trucks while going to and from fires, officials say than while fighting the fire. Sirens on the trucks will hereafter sound only when answering a fire call and at all other times the sirens will ring when the trucks are out of the station.

PRELIMINARY SURVEYS OF TEXAS WATERSHEDS NEARING COMPLETION

AUSTIN, Texas, Aug. 6.—A. H. Dunlap, member of the board of water engineers, will begin next week preliminary survey of the San Gabriel and Brushy rivers of Central Texas, to recommend reservoir sites under the topographic survey which will be started by federal and state engineering forces this month. He will include the Yegua creek in his inspection tour which, it was stated, will virtually complete preliminary work on the watersheds of Texas. Chairman John A. Norris is engaged in similar work along the Lower Rio Grande river valley, while C. S. Clark, the third member, is engaged in preliminary surveys of streams in the Panhandle section of the state.

JAMES SULLIVAN OFF ON VACATION

(From Monday's Daily). "I expect a wonderful year for A. and M. in athletic," said James Sullivan, athletic manager of A. and M. College who is leaving Tuesday for a month's vacation to be spent in North Texas and Colorado. While in Colorado Mr. Sullivan will spend the greatest part of his time in Denver, with side trips to all the interesting places. Mr. Sullivan has just completed renovation of the athletic grounds, new grand stands, etc., and everything is now in readiness for the opening of football training early in September. Already much is being talked of the Turkey Day game with the State University.

R. J. Jones of Steep Hollow was among the visitors in Bryan today.

LIFE IS GOOD

Each morning when I leave my hive I render thanks that I'm alive, for life is surely sweet; and I enjoy each passing day, though I am fat and old and gray, and have rheumatic feet. I've seen about a million dawns, I've gazed upon the dewy lawns since Hector was a pup; and each morning has its charm; I seek the summit of my farm to watch the sun come up. Each morning when I leave my coop I give a loud, exultant whoop, and speak the name of Heck; I wave my hat and cry "Hur-roo," and dance around among the dew, so glad I'm still on deck. This world is not a vale of tears, it is the choicest of the spheres, its in a class alone; and I've but little use for gents who jar the welkin with lamentations, who hand out sigh and groan. Each morning when I leave my shack I say, "There's nothing out a whack, the world is fine and fair; it never seems to me a wreck, though I have boils upon my neck, and falling of the hair. If any man is prone to think that this bright world is on the blink he ought to emigrate; he ought to chase himself to Mars or try to find some thornier stars that welcome such a skate. I sit in my embroidered robe, and I endorse this good old globe on which I've lived so long; its folks are worth their weight in gold; and hearts are warm, though feet be cold, and life's a grand sweet song."—Walt Mason.

BRAZOS COUNTY BOYS AND GIRLS CLUB DEPARTMENT

Club Notes and Farm News by County Agent C. L. Beason

Good Philosophy.

"Yesterday is dead—forget it; tomorrow doesn't exist—don't worry; today is here—use it!" Today should be used in such a way that not only will the obligations of the present be met, but also the demands of the future will find us adequately equipped to meet the changed conditions that shall be upon us then. Suffice it to say that the future will need strong men, keen of intellect, of unimpeachable character, fearless in the discharge of private and public duties, and unselfish in every relation to their fellow man. A work demanding the consecration of the home, the efficiency of the public school, the guidance of the church and the co-operation of the people as a whole.

Persistence Pays.

"There's no money in farming if you try to change your plans all the time. Let yourself be blown about in the price currents, and you will always be a little too late to sell at a good price. The people who seem to make money go plowing straight along, through thick and thin, working out good plans and methods, and in the long run they seem to be the ones who get along."—Orange Judd Farmer.

Grass.

"Lying in the sunshine among the buttercups and dandelions of May, scarce higher in intelligence than the minute tenants of that mimic wilderness, our earliest recollections are of grass; and when the fitful fever is over, and the foolish wrangle of the forum and the market is closed, grass heals over the scar that our descent into the earth has made, and the carpet of the infant becomes the blanket of the dead."—John J. Ignalls. The efforts put forth by the Brazos county farmer to subdue and eradicate the Johnson grass are not conducive to such language and poetic trend of mind as inspired Mr. Ignalls when writing the above beautiful lines. What say ye, brother Jones of the "Turtle Bend" ranch?

"What's the Matter With Farmin'?"

Abe Martin, in Farm Life, August, says in answering the query, "What's the Matter With Farmin'?" "Farmin' is just like th' chronic invalid that's in bed t' day on 'n' postoffice corner 't' m'orrow, that's barely holdin' his own this mornin' an' able t' worry down an egg this evenin' . . . Jake Bentley is in bed t' day, sick over sellin' his corn too soon, an' Al Moots an' family are at Niagara Falls 'cause Al sold his at th' right time."

Of Interest in Brazos.

The Farm Bureau News, Dallas, makes the following statement which ought to interest several Brazos county communities: "For the best community fair held in any community in Texas between August and September 15, 1923, a prize of \$10 will be awarded by the Home and Community Committee."

A Banker Counts Eggs.

"New York City ate nearly two billion eggs last year—the eggsact egg figures, if you eggspect we are eggsaggerating, are 1,881,502,428." Farm Life commenting on research work done by Mr. Junod of the Bank of America, New York City.

"I consider it the best of an education to have been born and brought up in the country."—Alcott.

"Old Si Silver was a peculiar duck. Farmed with his bean and had darned 'round good luck; The folks 'round about worked hard and tried, But here's Si's secret—he diversified."—The Farm Journal.

Leaf Worm Reported.

R. R. Reppert, entomologist, Extension Service, A. and M. College, of Texas, advises that leaf worm infestation is being reported from many sections of Texas, ranging from Panola county on the East to Uvalde in the Southwest. The following given out by Mr. Reppert should be of interest to those desiring to undertake the control of the leaf worm: "When the insect appears in destructive numbers, dusting with the proper arsenical will control it. Dry arsenate of lead is best, and should be applied at the rate of three pounds per acre. There is little danger of burning the foliage with this poison. Paris green, applied in dust form is effective, and is apt to burn the foliage, and only about one and a half pounds per acre should be used. Further, it should always be diluted with about three or four parts of air slaked lime to one part of the poison. London purple is also apt to burn, but if no other poison is available, might be used with caution, in the same way as advised for Paris green. London purple is also of very variable composition, and for this reason the results are not always what could be desired. White arsenate is very unsafe on account of the danger of burning. Calcium arsenate may be used at the rate of about five pounds per acre, undiluted. Our advice is to use lead arsenate or calcium arsenate as long as these are obtainable, and to avoid all other arsenicals, except as a last resort and then to use them in combination with air slaked lime, and with extreme caution. Apply these poisons by means of two cheese cloth bags tied to opposite ends of a pole so that each bag hangs over a row. Carry this pole on horseback along two rows, beating the pole out of the sticks and shake the poison out of the bags to shake the plants. Manipulate so as to apply the amount per acre advised. If a dusting machine is available, the operation will be simplified. Dusting should, preferably, be done while the dew is on so that the poison will readily adhere to the foliage. The amounts of poison per acre recom-

mended are for cotton about eighteen inches high. For larger cotton the amount should be increased accordingly." Sprays made from cattle dip, white arsenate, etc., are not endorsed on account of danger of burning foliage. It seems to early to turn the cotton plants over to the leaf worm, even though the plants are more or less fruitless now. Reports are made of some Brazos bottom farmers who poisoned their fruitless cotton last year with the result that a good crop was harvested. Nothing would have been made otherwise.

The Southern Ruralist thinks the country home will come into its own only when more attention is given to matters of better equipment and more conveniences, such as will add to the efficiency of the house wife, give contentment to the whole family, and keep alive the neighborly spirit which has always characterized the people of the open country. Too often we have felt that such improvement were not in our reach, that to enjoy such conveniences one must move to town, but the experiences as related by many farm women attending the Short Course held at the A. and M. College July 23-28, indicate that it is largely a matter of vision backed by a determination to put the job over. One lady from Grimes county showed two miniature kitchens, one her poorly arranged kitchen at the beginning of the year, while the other was the same kitchen transformed into one of convenience and comfort and that, too, at a cost of only fifty cents in money, the woman herself doing the major part of the necessary work. The woman's story was replete with interest as she told of how her work had been changed from that of drudgery to work of delight and pleasure, as a result of help from the Extension Service of the A. and M. College of Texas.

Profitable Side Lines.

The American Farmer, August, gives the following as evidence that we need not set all our eggs under one old hen: "Some fellows work with their hands, and die poor; others give their brains a chance and are doomed to wealth. Some times a side line, pursued with energy and intelligence, proves more profitable than a major farm operation. We read with envy of a man at Callallen, Texas, who makes an annual revenue of more than \$50,000, most of which is clear profit, from raising queen bees. He figures on obtaining about 100 queens from every hive of 2,000 to 3,000 working bees instead of only one queen. Queen bees bring from \$1 to \$2.75 each."

FIVE MILLION ACRES TO BE SOLD BY STATE FOR UNPAID INTEREST

AUSTIN, Texas, Aug. 6.—Approximately 5,000,000 acres of land, sold formerly by the state, will be placed on the market for sale again by the state on September 1 for non-payment of interest on the land, according to a statement issued by State Land Commissioner J. T. Robison. Notices of forfeiture are being sent out to the purchasers at the present time, according to Commissioner Robison. The money from the sale of this land will go to the Texas public school fund. Persons who will forfeit land may redeem it by paying the interest on money due the State by September 4 after which time the claim to it will be void. Not more than six sections of this state land will be sold to any person who has ever bought land from the state before.

666 Cures Malaria, Chills and Fever, Dengue or Bilious Fever.

MR. GRAHAM TO ILLINOIS

Bryan friends will be interested to know that W. P. Graham, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Graham of Rock Prairie has accepted a position as coach with the Baptist College of Alton, Ill., for next term. Mr. Graham has been teaching vocational training at Lancaster high school this past session.

C. L. and C. M. Risinger of Steep Hollow were in town today.

A CALOMEL YOU CAN SAFELY TAKE

Harness of Ordinary Calomel Eliminated in Pepsinated Calomel, New English Calomel Treatment for Torpid Liver.

How many times have you heard that "calomel is the only sure way to reach the liver?" Your grandfather knew it, your mother knew it, your doctor knows it—you know it yourself! Calomel is the certain way to stimulate liver to healthy activity, but ordinary calomel is so harsh in its consequence that you can hardly be blamed for not wanting to take it. There is no reason to deprive yourself of the fine effects of calomel since the discovery of Pepsinated Calomel. It is the best improved English Calomel treated with pepsin. It has all the cleansing power of English Calomel, (recognized as the standard of purity), with the soothing qualities of pepsin so that you get the full benefit of calomel without griping, nausea or discomfort. Pepsinated Calomel is especially fine for children. They willingly take it when they cannot be bribed into taking disagreeable medicine. M. H. James Dr. Co., and all reliable druggists recommend and guarantee Pepsinated Calomel to bring relief between sundown and sunup or your money refunded. Try it—we guarantee you'll feel better tomorrow. (Adv.)

LIKENESSES AND UNLIKENESSES BETWEEN BRYAN AND ARK. TOWN

Prof. W. L. Harrington has recently returned from the University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, where he gave a series of lectures on public speaking. His comparison between Fayetteville and Bryan is very interesting, and follows:

(By Prof. W. L. Harrington.)

The Ozarks! What a world of beauty and sentiment comes to the minds of those who have visited these wonderful hills. Nestled in a tiny valley among the Ozarks is the city of Fayetteville, which, like Bryan, is a college town. At Fayetteville is the University of Arkansas which was founded the same years as A. and M. But there the similarity between Fayetteville and Bryan ceases.

Natural Beauty Spot.

Man chose for Fayetteville a spot of great natural beauty. Every possibility of a wonderful city was at hand but the generations that followed "let well enough alone" and Fayetteville is thirty years behind Bryan. The entrance to the city is made over poor roads though the wonderful beauty of the landscape makes you almost forget the terrible bumping as you drive along. It's buildings are old and not usually well kept. It has rested on its oars and forgot that the world moves on.

PRESIDENT UNIVERSITY NOT TO BE ELECTED AT NEXT BOARD MEETING

AUSTIN, Texas, Aug. 6.—Under plans that have been discussed by some of the university regents there will be no election of a president of the University of Texas on Aug. 13, when the regents hold their next session in Austin. That much is said to have been agreed to by a majority of the board in a most informal way. The agreement may be extended to postpone the election until May or June of 1924. This will be confirmed when the regents continue to have Dr. W. S. Sutton act as president for the entire next session, 1923-24. He is to recommend someone to act in his faculty place as dean of the department of education during his presidential incumbency.

Gov. Neff Supporters.

All of this absolutely precludes the election of a president on Aug. 13. These facts were ascertained from unquestioned sources and do not come under the guise of speculation. In connection with the foregoing situation it is further known that the movers of a year's postponement of the election of a president are supporters of Governor Neff. After a year, his term will have drawn to a near close and the race for United States Senator will have developed sufficiently to show the way the wind is blowing. A year will afford opportunity for many things to happen which would be controlling influences in the election of the university and of a United States Senator.

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W. N. Wilson of Tabor was in Bryan today.

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NEFF SUGGESTED FOR PRESIDENT BY HON. WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN

Great Commoner Thinks That Senator Oscar Underwood of Alabama Would Not Be a Very Desirable Candidate Because of His Alleged Connection With Wall Street and "Wet" Sentiment.

(By Associated Press).

MIAMI, Fla., Aug. 3.—Senator Oscar W. Underwood's availability as a candidate for the Democratic presidential nomination will depend on the platform adopted by the Democrats, William J. Bryan is quoted as saying in an article published in the News-Metropolis here Thursday. Mr. Bryan's signed statement said: "As Senator Underwood has formally announced his candidacy, I answer your inquiry. His availability will depend entirely upon the platform adopted next year. If Wall Street and the 'wets' control the convention and write the platform they will doubtless regard Senator Underwood as the logical candidate. He is wetter than Gov. Smith and has for a longer time been the spokesman of that element. He also represents the wall street point of view on public questions. But Wall Street and the wets are not likely to control the next convention. There is no objection to a Southern candidate and there are prominent Southern Democrats who are in sympathy with the sentiment of the Democratic party. Why not select one of these—for instance—Daniels of North Carolina, Comer of Alabama, or Neff of Texas? Every Southern State can furnish an available progressive Democrat who can poll several million votes more than Senator Underwood. He was not available in 1912 and is much less available now."

DIRECTORS ELECTED AND OFFICERS CHOSEN EAGLE PRINTING CO.

At a meeting of the stockholders of the Eagle Printing Company, Thursday afternoon at the company office the following board of directors was elected: Mrs. Lee J. Rountree, H. O. Boatwright, Carl M. Cole and P. A. Tardy of Bryan, and Prof. E. J. Fernier of College Station. After the stockholders meeting the board of directors held a short session and selected the following officers to serve during the ensuing year: Mrs. Lee J. Rountree, president; H. O. Boatwright, vice president; P. A. Tardy, secretary and treasurer; C. M. Cole, assistant secretary. Mrs. Rountree was made managing editor.

When you feel lazy, out of sorts and yawn a good deal in day time you need a Herbine to stimulate your liver, tone up your stomach and purify your bowels. Price, 60c. Sold by all druggists.—Adv.

RETURN FROM AUTO TRIP

Miss Laura Belle Roten, county home demonstration agent, Miss Elliott Beason and Wava Martin have returned from a visit to Miss Roten's home, Wharton. Miss Roten brought back with her a new Ford coupe.

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Secretary-Treasurer, Bryan
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PROF. S. W. BILSING TELLS SOMETHING OF GRASSHOPPERS LIFE

S. W. Bilsing, professor of entomology at A. and M. College has the following to say about grasshoppers: "Grasshoppers lay their eggs in the fall of the year and so far as we know none of them ever hatch until the next spring. These eggs hatch into a small grasshopper which is only different from the adult in that it has no wings and a very soft body with a very large head. As this young grasshopper, or nymph as we call it, feeds it gradually increases in size and sheds the skin the wing pads begin to appear and at the fifth molt it becomes an adult grasshopper. The adult stage of all insects is the reproductive stage.

Some Have No Wings.

"There are some grasshoppers which do not have wings, but only a few of them. Entomologically speaking, a large group of grasshoppers are locusts, but they have no connection with the common insect which most people call locusts. Entomologists know that insect as a cicada and that is where many have confused their ideas. Unfortunately that word locust has been applied to a cicada. Technically speaking, grasshoppers are locusts, and we do not recognize that word in entomology any place else but in connection with those grasshoppers."

MRS. SIMS THERE

Among the Texans prominent at New York Chautauqua are Mrs. Percy W. Pennacker, figure prominently as the president of the Woman's club at Austin. Mrs. Charles T. Bonner of Tyler, hostess of the Woman's building and Mrs. Henry Redmond, candidate for state president of the federation, who are attending the Woman's Club institute. Mrs. W. M. Sims of Bryan, and daughter, Mrs. Luther Clark of Dallas, are also attending. The only Wacoans registered are Mrs. J. F. Horsful and Miss Margaret Horsful.—Waco News-Tribune.

NEGRO MAN SHOT IN BOTH LEGS SUNDAY NEGRO WOMAN HELD

Oscar Mitchell, negro, about 50 years of age, was shot through both legs Sunday morning at about ten o'clock by some one who slipped up behind him while he was sitting on his front porch. His wife was in a nearby room at the time. Mitchell lives on the Frank Stasny farm eight miles from Bryan. He was brought to town by J. J. Krenek and Antone Vymola, white men. Examination by Dr. A. E. Thompson showed that Mitchell had received most of the shot in his left leg and only a few in his right leg. All had passed through and the wound was declared not very serious. Sheriff L. E. Morehead went to the scene of the crime and about 12 o'clock took into custody Lillie Henderson, negro woman, whom he said, made a confession. She is now in jail awaiting an examining trial.

ABRAM HENSARLING PIONEER IN TEXAS PASSES TO REWARD

In the passing of Abram Hensarling, whose death occurred Saturday afternoon at the home of his son John L. Hensarling at Wellborn, Brazos county loses another of its highly esteemed pioneer citizens. Since 1871 Mr. Hensarling has been a resident of this county, and at all times alive to its interests and progress, and in his death, not only his family, neighbors and friends are bereft, but the entire county mourns the loss of an honest, upright and law abiding citizen. No greater heritage can be bequeathed to posterity than the record of a life spent in the service of humanity, with honesty and loyalty to the highest principles of manhood ever exemplified.

Buried On Sunday.

On Sunday afternoon in the Steep Hollow cemetery, near the old Hensarling home where for so many years he lived and reared a family of noble sons and daughters, surrounded by a group of neighbors and friends who assembled to join the large family in its grief and sorrow. The body was laid to rest, beneath a mound of flowers. His life-time friends, Rev. J. M. Bullock, conducted the funeral service and the Steep Hollow church sang sweetly the old time hymns he loved and as the sun's last rays threw a sheen of mellow light over the new-made grave as the crowd dispersed.

Nearly Ninety.

Abram Hensarling was born January 8, 1833, and had lived until January. would have been 90 years of age. Coming the Brazos county from Tyler county, Texas, in 1871, he built his home near Steep Hollow church, and lived there continuously until only a few years ago, when, on account of the feebleness of age, he and his wife moved to town, so they might be near their children and be relieved of the care of the home farm. During the past two years, they have lived with their children, going on little visits from time to time as they desired. The home of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Hensarling at Wellborn was the last place visited, for while there, only three weeks ago Mr. Hensarling was taken suddenly ill, and continued to grow worse, until death relieved him of all suffering at the time above stated, and his long and useful life came to a close. Deceased is survived by his wife, four sons, John L. and George B. Hensarling of Wellborn, Tom A. Hensarling of Steep Hollow, and Phillip H. Hensarling of Bryan and one daughter, Mrs. R. L. Buchanan of Silverton, Texas. The following friends served as pall bearers: J. F. Lavender, J. M. Ferguson, N. P. Dansby, H. O. Ferguson, J. I. Barron, J. H. Nash.

HARDING'S WIDOW TO LIVE IN FUTURE AT THE FARM DOCTOR SAWYER

(Special to Bryan Daily Eagle)

MARION, Ohio, Aug. 4.—President Harding's widow will make her future home at the home of Dr. C. E. Sawyer, the personal physician to the late President Warren G. Harding, just outside the city, according to an announcement in today's Marion Tribune the morning paper controlled by the same men who recently bought Mr. Harding's interest in the Marion Star. Known as "White Oaks" the farm is one of the beauty spots of Marion.

MAY GET ANNUITY

(Special to Bryan Daily Eagle)

WASHINGTON, Aug. 4.—If precedents are followed, Mrs. Warren Harding will receive a life pension of \$5,000 per year from the government. Mrs. Grover Cleveland and Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt were given annuities by a vote of the house and senate. Member of Congress said today that there was little doubt that similar action would be taken in the case of Mrs. Harding.

W. G. HARDING SIXTH PRESIDENT TO DIE IN OFFICE AS EXECUTIVE

(By Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Aug. 4.—President Harding, the twenty-ninth president of the United States, was the sixth president to die in office, and the third executive from Ohio to die. William Henry Harrison was the first to die while president. He died April 4, 1841, at Washington, after serving but one month of his term. Zachary Taylor died at Washington July 9, 1850, after serving one year four months and five days. Abraham Lincoln was shot by an assassin at Ford's Theatre, Washington, April 14, 1865, dying the next day. He had served four years, one month and 11 days. James A. Garfield was shot while in the Pennsylvania Station at Washington, July 2, 1881, and died at Elberon, N. J., September 19, 1881. He had served six and a half months.

William McKinley was shot twice September 6, 1901, while in the Temple of Music at the Pan-American Exposition at Buffalo, N. Y. He died eight days later, having served four years, six months and ten days. President Harding, who died Thursday night at San Francisco, had been chief executive two years, four months and 29 days.

JOHN A. FUSCHAK GETS LETTER FROM J. A. JR.

(From Saturday's Daily)

John A. Fuschak of Kurten was in Bryan today. He reports having received a letter from his son, John A. Fuschak Jr., who is at present a patient in the U. S. Veterans Hospital at Fort McKenzie, Sheridan, Wyoming. This is the first written word the father has received from the son since his return from service in the World War. Young Fuschak served bravely as a member of Machine Gun Company "G", 360th Infantry, receiving a severe disability which rendered him totally disabled for life. He came to his home at Kurten after discharge and was sent immediately to Mendocino State Hospital, Talmadge, California, where he remained until about six months ago, when he was transferred to the government hospital at Fort McKenzie, Sheridan, Wyoming.

HERBERT SEALE HOME

(From Saturday's Daily)

Herbert Seale, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Seale, south Bryan street returned last night from Beaumont. Mr. Seale was taken desperately ill in Beaumont three weeks ago and his parents were called to his bedside. Since that time he has been in a hospital in that city, and is still very weak. His many Bryan friends hope for a speedy recovery.

MARLIN PLANS TO PUT IN PUMPING PLANT ON RECENTLY MADE LAKE

O. E. Curry, Ewell Rogers and a Mr. Bowden of Marlin, representing the city council were here Friday and in company with City Manager E. E. McAdams, inspected the Bryan power plant, especially the pumps, according to Dr. R. J. Hunnicutt. They wished to see the pumps because Marlin is about to put in a pumping plant on their 300-acre artificial lake on which the dams were just completed. This lake is on Big Sandy creek and is expected to supply Marlin with water.

BRYAN NEGRO CHARGED WITH THEFT AWAITS ACTION GRAND JURY

(From Thursday's Daily)

Clarence Baylor, a Bryan negro, was arrested at his home on Candy Hill at six this morning by Sheriff L. E. Morehead, Chief of Police W. S. Martin, Night Officer Otto Williams and Deputy Sheriff H. T. Wheeler on the charge of theft. In his possession were found new shirts, caps and underwear, bearing either the name of A. M. Waldrop or Brandon & Lawrence, according to Sheriff L. E. Morehead. Baylor was lodged in the county jail and being unable to make bond will await the action of the grand jury.

STEALS PISTOL

(From Thursday's Daily)

While the nightman, Dave Gibson, of Kauffman's Cafe, was reading a paper early this morning, a stranger walked in, leaped over the counter and made his get-away with a Colt's .32 calibre nickel-plated pistol belonging to the proprietor, Sam Kauffman.

DELIGHTFUL LAWN PARTY GIVEN FOR MANOR VISITOR

(From Thursday's Daily).

Misses Gussie and Ellis Ballestedt were hostess for a very delightful lawn party Tuesday evening at their home on Ursuline avenue, honoring their cousin and house guest, Miss Sophia Ballestedt of Manor. Gaily bedecked with Japanese lanterns and comfort for all with chairs and settees, progressive conversation and other games proved a pleasant pastime in the gentle breezes on the velvety lawn. Later in the evening their mother, Mrs. R. H. Ballestedt assisted by Miss Dora Ballestedt and Mrs. W. Ballestedt of Manor, passed a refreshment plate of ice cream topped with cherries and delicious home-made cake. Present were: Dean and Ray Orms, Mildred Cloud, Lois Manley, Laura Lee Bird, Mavis Brogdon, Jessie Myrtle Hensarling, Sophia Ballestedt of Manor, Reed and T. W. McDonald, C. G. and Bill Walker, A. K. Brown, Coulter Hippes, J. W. Hamilton, Lawrence Griffin, Bobby Cloud and Ransom Sutton.

WALLACE LOCKE, BOY SCOUT, HURT AT BALL

(From Thursday's Daily)

Wallace Locke, Boy Scout, suffered a fractured collar bone in an accident Wednesday at the Boy Scout Home. He and others were playing baseball when he collided with the thigh of Donald Cole in the effort to catch a ball about to strike the ground. Medical examination showed that he had fractured his collar bone. He suffered a good deal of pain Wednesday night but is somewhat improved this morning.

OFF TO NEW YORK

(From Thursday's Daily)

Misses Malcolm McInnis and Alcie Conway leave Saturday for a vacation trip to New York. They have bookings on the San Jacinto, which sails out of Galveston on Saturday at noon. They expect to be away some three or four weeks.

MRS. J. J. TATUM IS BADLY HURT BUT HER HUSBAND IS HOPEFUL

(From Thursday's Daily)

Rev. J. J. Tatum returned today from Little Rock, Arkansas, where he had been called to the bedside of his wife, who was injured last Thursday at Gurdon, Arkansas, as she was changing cars for Womble. Rev. Tatum left his wife Tuesday evening comfortably cared for in the Baptist Hospital with everything that science and care can do, being done for her. He is quite hopeful of the ultimate outcome but fully realizes she is in a serious condition. Miss Bernelle Tatum, her daughter, will remain with her and Mrs. Will Holmes will leave Friday to be with her for some time. Rev. Tatum has nothing but praise for the kindness of the people of Arkansas for their goodness to him in this hour of trial. Former Bryan boys rendering every assistance were: Tom Calhoun and Neill Zuber. Rev. Tatum expects to return to Little Rock in a short time.

BRYAN GETS MODERN FLOWER BUILDING

(From Thursday's Daily)

The Bryan Nursery and Floral Company is making extensive improvements for the growing of carnations this fall and have erected a new glass house which covers 1,800 feet, steam heated with all modern conveniences. The building will be completed this week and planting begun. This now gives Bryan one of the best equipped nursery buildings in the state.

WORK ON INTERURBAN TRACK BEGUN—TRIAL RUNS BY EARLY SEPT.

(From Thursday's Daily)

Work of repairing the roadbed of the Bryan-College interurban was begun today, according to Eugene Edge, president. The new manager, Todd A. White, of Temple, an A. and M. graduate in electrical engineering arrived Thursday. The work of putting the roadbed in shape will continue until finished, said Mr. Edge, and in the meantime mechanics will go over the cars in the barn to get them in shape. By September 1 trial runs can be made and the road will be in good running condition when the college boys arrive later in the month.

DR. GEORGE S. FREEMAN LEAVING INDO-CHINA TO INVESTIGATE NEW POST

Mrs. George S. Freeman of College received a cablegram Thursday from Dr. George S. Freeman who is returning from a trip to Indo-China, where he made an inspection of the cotton situation for the French government. Dr. Freeman will leave Paris, France, August 7th, aboard the Leviathan for New York. From New York he will sail direct to Haiti, where he goes to look over the situation and decide whether he will accept the appointment as chief of the Technical Bureau of Agriculture in Haiti. Dr. Freeman was nominated by the late President Warren G. Harding.

DISTRICT TRUSTEES COUNTY SCHOOL MEN CALLED IN MEETING

The president of the county board of trustees, W. L. Powers has named 10 o'clock, August 13, as the day and hour for a meeting of all the district trustees of the county for the purpose of discussing any business pertaining to the schools of the county. The county board is expected to be present also. D. J. McDONALD, County Superintendent and Secretary of the county board.

PRES. COOLIDGE CALLS FOR A DAY OF PRAYER ON FRIDAY, AUGUST 10

First Official Act of New President is The Announcement of Death of Former President Harding and Setting of Date for Honoring Him—Coolidge Takes Temporary Office in His Hotel Suite

WASHINGTON, Aug. 4.—President Coolidge rose at eight o'clock this morning and began his first work day as Chief Executive. He ate his usual breakfast of cereal and coffee in his hotel suite, then called on his secretary, Edward Clark. Originally he had planned to go to his old office in the Senate office building, but instead he started running through the great mass of mail in the improvised office in his apartment. The first official act of President Coolidge as the new executive of the nation was the placing of his signature today on the proclamation announcing the death of President Harding, and calling upon the country to observe next Friday, August 10, as a day of mourning and prayer. On that day Mr. Harding's body is to be buried at Marion, Ohio.

DR. JOHN A. HELD DESCRIBES THE DEPARTURE OF A LINER FROM PORT

The following account of the departure of a great steamer from port, written by Dr. John A. Held, aboard the liner Frederick VIII, has been received by the Eagle and should be very interesting to Bryan people.

An Affecting Scene.

Have you ever watched a great steamer weigh anchor and move out to sea? If not then you have missed a sight that is worth going a long way to see. When our ship, Frederick VIII, one of the really great liners, lifted anchor, I stood on the upper deck and watched. In fact, had been watching for some time before. It is interesting for several reasons, but primarily because of the human touch. Long before the time for leaving arrived, passengers gathered with their friends and, while some selected their state rooms, or perhaps some humbler places, others stood on deck or on the pier, talking, and laughing and having a good time.

Excitement Grows.

As the time to leave drew nearer and nearer, things became more exciting. Here some passengers arrived late and were excited about this, that or the other. There was a trunk about to be left. Yonder a grip or some other parcel about to be forgotten. The various stewards helping the women and children and by the way, these men on steamers are usually very considerate. The women can ask thousands of questions (as usual) some pertinent and some trivial, but the stewards officers, good naturedly, answer all kindly and cheerfully. Then the steamers' whistle blows, that is the first signal. A little more excitement. More animated conversation. The baggage moves faster and the ships' crew work with more spirit. The second signal and the gang planks are pulled in. The band that has been playing, now strikes up "America" and everybody stands with head uncovered and pays proper respect. Now the final signal is given, the friends and relatives gather at the pier. The tug-boats come to the help and slowly, majestically, the steamer swings around, and puts its nose out to the sea. It is an interesting spectacle. Now, you see friends parting, and on the pier stand hundreds of people, waving hands, handkerchiefs, hats and flowers. It is a touching scene to behold. Here is a wife saying goodbye to husband, yonder children and parents or other relatives.

Bands Play Farewell.

As the steamer moves out the band plays and everybody on deck says good bye to everybody on pier. What a beautiful sight. The flowers, the women's ribbons and their hats, here and there a policeman, altogether it is a picture worth looking at. The Frederick VIII left promptly at one o'clock and we are off for Norway and Sweden and the world-congress of Baptists at Stockholm. JNO. A. HELD.

TWO LITTLE CHILDREN BRING PRES. FLOWERS JUST PRIOR TO DEATH

(Special to Bryan Daily Eagle)

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Aug. 4.—Several minutes of the President's last quarter hour alive were devoted, as had been much of his life, to childhood and its interests. Two little girls came to the presidential suite just before 7 o'clock with flowers, seeking to present them to the President.

Mrs. Harding, who shares the President's lifelong love of children, graciously came from the sickroom to speak a word to the two tots and accepted their gift. Returning to the President, she took with her a few of the blossoms and these were in the room a few minutes later when he died.

FORCE WORKING TRACKWAY

(From Saturday's Daily)

Eight men are at work on the track of the Bryan-College Traction company and a mechanic will begin Monday on the cars in the barn, according to President Eugene Edge. It is hoped to get the line in operation about the first week in September.

EUGENE EDGE LEAVES FOR EASTERN MARKETS TO MAKE PURCHASES

(From Saturday's Daily)

Eugene Edge, on the corner, left this morning on the Sunshine Special for the style centers, Chicago and New York, to personally select his line of dresses, waists, coats and millinery, which will soon be arriving daily by express. Mr. Edge will be accompanied by his daughter, Miss Jean Edge.

OFFICERS CAPTURE A STILL BUT FIND THE OPERATOR NOT THERE

(From Friday's Daily)

Sheriff L. E. Morehead and party of officers arrived in Bryan this morning bringing in a still captured near Smetana. According to Sheriff L. E. Morehead, Chief of Police W. S. Martin, Night Officer Otto Williams and Deputy Sheriff H. T. Wheeler, the sheriff went out at 5 o'clock this morning to the place of Henry Armstrong on the Peter Gooch farm two miles from Smetana and captured a still made of a ten gallon milk can and fifteen feet of coiled galvanized iron pipe. The operator, according to Sheriff Morehead, quickly poured out his mash and took to the brush when he saw the officers approaching.

DELIGHTFUL PICNIC PARTY

Out where the water is cool, clear and deep at Pitts bridge on the Brazos river a merry crowd enjoyed a swimming party on Friday evening, with picnic supper. Those enjoying the affair were: Mr. and Mrs. Parker Carroll, Mrs. Jimmie McKenzie; Misses Maude Bookout, Marguerite Stephens, Artie Lou Smith, Ethel Evans and Adele Hall; Messrs. John Carmichael, "Ship" Pate, Clarence Taylor and Lonnie Locke.

CANNITELLA OIL WELL DELAYED BY FISHING INDICATIONS PLEASING

(From Saturday's Daily)

F. E. Sheldon, field manager of the Cannitella oil well, number 1, three miles from Bryan, was here this morning and said he expected a car load of pipe from Humble soon. He gave out the information that drilling, which has been suspended for some days on account of loss of tools in the well, is now halted in rock with good indications. When the pipe from Humble arrives, he said, the drilling will be resumed and he is hopeful of even better indications on the other side of the rock. The well is now about 2,800 feet deep and it is intended to go 4,000 feet, if necessary.

MRS. BUCHANAN RESIGNS

Mrs. Albert Buchanan has tendered her resignation as secretary of the Brazos County Red Cross, effective September 1st. Mrs. Buchanan has been in the service of the American Red Cross for the past six years, having organized the local Red Cross chapter in June, 1917.

LIVERGARD—the New Laxative.

Mothers: LIVERGARD is the new Laxative we cannot improve. Safe and best for the baby. Father, Mother, grandparents, sickly and strong. When the bowels are sluggish, LIVERGARD makes laughing babies of puny ones; keeps old folks young; a bottle today keeps ill away. Children are eager for it, grown-ups praise it. At good drug stores. Write us for free sample. Lungardia Co., Dallas, Tex. Adv.

EVANS AND BLACKBURN FAMILIES OF SULPHUR SPRINGS VISIT C. M. EVANS

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Evans and children, Claude, Joe, Lanham and Bobbie, and Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Blackburn and son Tommie of Sulphur Springs were guests of Mrs. C. M. Evans, en route from Galveston where they had been spending a week's vacation. They left for their home today. They are making the trip through in their cars. Claude Evans will remain for a longer visit with his aunt, Mrs. Evans. Mr. Evans is secretary of the Chamber of Commerce of Sulphur Springs, and county agent of Hopkins county, a combination office by which he has proven the value of co-operation between town and country.

MILICAN CITIZENS HERE IN INTEREST OF THE COMMUNITY FAIR

(From Friday's Daily)

Mrs. A. J. Edwards, president and T. A. Hensarling, secretary of the Millican Community Fair, in company with Miss Caro Mae Edwards, Miss Irene Crawford and R. E. Dunlap were in Bryan today making arrangements for prizes to be given at the Millican community fair, which is to be given sometime in August.

PERSONAL MENTION

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

Powell Harvey, a leading negro farmer of the Brazos bottoms was in Bryan for poison today, stating that the leaf worms were playing havoc with the cotton in his section.

Victor Andrews of Steep Hollow was in Bryan today.

Miss Gladys Henry, after spending a few days visiting with Bryan friends, has returned to Cameron to resume her work as county home demonstration agent of Milam county.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Fritsch and daughter, Bessie June, arrived this afternoon from Claude for a visit to Mrs. Fritsch's mother, Mrs. A. H. Scott. Mrs. Fritsch will be remembered by Bryan friends as Miss Mildred Scott.

L. E. Bailey will soon have his new home on the interurban completed.

G. H. Brown has his new house on College road about half finished.

C. R. Gardner plans to build himself a home opposite the L. E. Bailey home on the interurban line, according to reports.

Mrs. William Gaby and daughter Miss Martha Juanita Gaby of Cleburne are here for a visit to her son D. B. Gaby and family.

The many friends of Mrs. J. S. Doane will be glad to know she is resting satisfactorily at the Bryan Hospital following an operation about noon for appendicitis.

W. S. Howell is in Houston for today and Wednesday.

Mrs. Aubrey Thompson left today for a visit to her mother at Huntsville.

Julius Levy of Houston, formerly a merchant of Bryan is a business visitor here.

Mrs. E. B. Yeargin of Dallas left today noon for her home after a visit to her sister, Mrs. Will Poundexter.

Mrs. W. W. Fife was in Bryan shopping today from the Brazos Bottom.

Hubert Kellner of Vernwood, Miss., is here for a visit to his brother, Robert Kellner. Hubert Kellner will enter A. and M. College the coming term.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Law Boatwright following the reception given in their honor Saturday evening by Mr. and Mrs. H. Osgood Boatwright left immediately for a wedding trip to Colorado and California, spending a month. Upon their return to Bryan they will make their home with Mr. and Mrs. H. Osgood Boatwright at 3400 East Thirtieth Street.

W. S. Higgins is moving into his new home, the C. S. Gainer place on College avenue.

W. S. Barron is in Houston on business.

Mrs. S. R. Simpson has returned from a week's visit to her mother, Mrs. E. R. Davis at Houston.

Miss Mary Catalena, Miss Victoria Catalena and Joe Catalena all of Steele's Store were in town today.

Miss Mary Kosh, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kosh of Hempstead is spending the week in Bryan visiting relatives and friends. She is the guest of Miss Annie Sebesta on west 24th street.

Mrs. E. A. Miller and little daughter Helen left today for a month's visit with relatives at Brenham and New Elm. Mr. Miller went to Dallas and other points in north and east Texas on business for the Extension Service of A. and M. College.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gilpin left today for their home in Dallas after visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Gilpin at Kurten and relatives in Bryan.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Middleton of Alvin are here for a visit to their daughter, Mrs. B. T. Poole and family. Mr. and Mrs. Poole went to North Zulch for a family reunion, returning home Sunday and Mr. and Mrs. Middleton returned home with them.

County Commissioner C. M. DeGalia of Steele's Store was attending to business in Bryan today.

A merry crowd of Bryan folk that have been enjoying an outing at Sylvan Beach were: Mr. and Mrs. Will Pointexter, Mrs. E. B. Yeargin of Dallas, sister of Mrs. Pointexter, Miss Ava Reese, John W. Pointexter, Charley Stuart and Billy Gillon of Dallas.

(From Saturday's Daily.)

W. H. Benbow of the Tabor community was among the Bryan visitors today.

Mrs. Velma Graham and two daughters Dorothy and Louise are visiting relatives in Mart and Waco.

Miss Bettie McVay of Wellborn was a Bryan visitor Saturday.

Mayor Tyler Haswell left today for Asheville, N. C., where he will join Mrs. Haswell in a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Stiles Giraud. Mrs. Haswell has been in North Carolina for the past two months.

Mrs. H. B. Tucker of Caldwell, who has been in Bryan for some time, will accompany her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Eberhardt and sisters Misses Rofalee and Lillian Eberhardt to Caldwell by car today.

John A. Boriskie is ill at his home in the western part of the city. His friends are hoping for a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Verna Pryor and guest, Miss Lila Lipscomb of Austin were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Lajoie of Bryan this week.—Hearne Democrat.

A. W. Skelton of Rosprim was a business visitor at the Eagle office today.

E. R. Emmel and nephew Dean Kellner of San Antonio will leave early Sunday morning for an auto trip to Houston, Galveston and Columbus. Mr. Emmel made his home in Columbus many years ago and is anticipating a pleasant visit with old time friends.

Mrs. L. M. Lovelace and little son Harris Gene Lovelace are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Sanders.

L. M. Haltom of Benchley was in town today with a new bale of cotton.

Misses Clara and Lena Wetter write Bryan friends from Kerrville, where they are attending the Presby-

TEN PERSONS, SIX IN TEXAS, ARE INDICTED FOR FRAUDULENT SALES

Federal Grand Jury Sitting in Los Angeles Adjourns Until September After Indicting Ten Men and One Company for Selling Worthless Land in Zapata and Webb Counties as Rich Oil Land.

(By Associated Press.)

LOS ANGELES, Calif., Aug. 7.—The federal grand jury which indicted ten oil operators, six in Texas, four in Los Angeles, and one Los Angeles corporation on charges of using the mails to defraud has adjourned, subject to call. It is not expected to convene again until September. The Texans indicted yesterday were W. B. Chapin, Glenn Black, H. W. Howland, John Maulding, George Ripley and Jack Carillo. They are accused of having falsely represented land in Zapata and Webb counties, Texas, as rich and fertile and worth from \$10,000 to \$20,000 per acre because of oil, while the government declares it is worthless from any viewpoint.

terian encampment. They report a delightful stay, more than 1500 present with plenty of good times and pleasant weather.

Texas, with its hundreds of miles of distance, during the past two years has laid down 1,667 miles of highway, and has 1,591 miles in various stages of completion. Of this total, 1,089 miles is hard surfaced. The estimated cost is in excess of \$48,000,000. This does not take into consideration large projects financed by counties.

Mrs. J. E. Cameron and daughter Miss Jewell and Mrs. J. C. Peyton of Benchley were shopping in Bryan today.

The morning mail brought post card greetings to Bryan friends from Mrs. Dona Carnes, who is now in Colorado Springs, Colo., on her return trip from California, Arizona, and Utah en route home.

There is on display today in front of the Dixie Theatre what is said to be an average cotton stalk from one of the M. B. Parker plantations. By actual count there are 78 matured bolls with dozens of smaller ones, squares and blooms.

Mrs. S. W. Buchanan and son Henry have returned from a ten days auto trip to Houston and Beaumont. While in Beaumont they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Foreman and in Houston were guests of Mrs. E. J. Foreman.

County Agent C. L. Beason, Dr. E. P. Humbert, geologist, experiment station, A. and M. College; W. A. Duncan, subsistence department of A. and M. College and District Agent A. W. Buchanan went on an inspection trip of the Brazos Bottom crops Friday, returning to Bryan late in the afternoon.

Gus Bade, post master at Benchley, is in town today on business.

(From Monday's Daily)

Mrs. F. E. Mistrot Jr. of Waco is the guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. R. A. Harrison.

Mrs. Mary Ewing and niece, Miss Mary Ellen Goodson spent Sunday in the bottom with Mrs. Ewing's mother, Mrs. L. M. Goodson.

Charles Crawford returned last night from Philadelphia, Penn., where he has been for the past two months, taking a special summer course in electrical work at the Westinghouse Electric College. He also enjoyed a delightful trip to New York, Washington, Niagara Falls and other points of interest in the East. Mr. Crawford will resume his work with the mechanical engineering department of A. and M. College at the beginning of school in September.

Miss Bennie Searcy of Oskaloosa, Iowa, who has been in Bryan for several weeks visiting relatives, returned today to her home.

Miss Nona B. Joel of Jacksonville is the guest of Miss Beulah Casey at her home on College Road.

Mrs. Lizzie Reed of Houston is visiting relatives and friends in Bryan and College.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ross Blohm and their sons, Lyle and Robert Lee, of Aguas Calientes, Mexico, are the guests of Mrs. Bolhm's brother, Hon. Oak McKenzie and family on south Washington avenue. Mr. Bolhm is the American consul at Aguas Calientes, and is in Texas with his family on a short vacation trip.

Charles Conlee and family of Iola, Grimes county, are in Bryan for a visit with his brother John Dee Conlee and family.

Bryan friends of Mrs. Jimmie McKenzie will regret to learn that she has resigned her position at College, to accept a similar position in Dallas and will leave Bryan this week to make her home in that city.

Allen Academy represents area at national rifle matches, Ohio.

The principals of the Allen Academy have just been informed by Special Order No. 15 issued by Brigadier General Malone from the headquarters of the Summer Training Camp, Fort Sam Houston, Texas, that two of the three men selected to represent the R. O. T. C. units of the Eight Corps Area were Allen cadets.

Egbert G. Rogers of Alto Loma, and Earl J. Stouffley of Goose Creek are the Allen men selected from this area. The third man is Conrad A. Robinson of Texas A. and M. College and from Bartlett, Texas.

These young men have been selected from the five or six hundred cadets representing the different R. O. T. C. units of the Eight Corps Area for distinguished work and excellent marksmanship with the rifle and other small arms during the Summer Training Camp held at Fort Sam Houston during the month of July. These young men are ordered to report to the Executive Officer of Camp Perry, September 1st, 1923, and there to compete in the National Rifle matches held during the early part of September. The Academy is very proud of this record and the

opportunity of being able to send two of the three men from this area which comprises the States of Texas, Oklahoma, Arizona, New Mexico and Colorado. This is perhaps one of the greatest distinctions that the military department of the school has gained through its efficiency. The army officers on duty at the Academy are very much pleased at the most excellent showing which all of the Allen students have made at the Summer training Camp this summer. The students have lived up to their officers' expectations and the showing made has been very gratifying.

The Allen boys are very enthusiastic over the trip and the experience which they will gain in being pitted against the best shots from the different universities, colleges and academies over the United States. With the same spirit which has characterized the work and student life of the Academy these boys feel that they will be able to measure strength with the best shots at the National Shoot. At least, the officers, principals and cadets of the school are expecting a most pleasant showing.

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GO TO ATTEND FUNERAL MRS. BIRDWELL'S NEICE

(From Monday's Daily.)

Mrs. F. C. Birdwell and son Marvin were called to Madisonville Sunday on account of the death of Mrs. Birdwell's neice, Mrs. Claude Williams of Greenville. Mrs. Williams was buried at Madisonville Sunday afternoon.

WALDROP'S HONOR GUESTS

(From Monday's Daily.)

Among the dinner parties at Spring Lake Country Club dinner-dance Saturday evening were: Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Willis honoring Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Waldrop and Allister Waldrop of Bryan, with Mesdames M. B. Willis, Mattie D. Willis and Mr. Fred Baynton as guests.—Waco News-Tribune.

LEAF WORMS APPEAR ON COTTON AT TABOR

Walter Armstrong, Roy Ball and Nat Harrison of Tabor were in Bryan early this morning after poison to fight the leaf worm, which has appeared in great quantities in that community and ravaging the cotton. While Mr. Armstrong was here he was an appreciated visitor at the Eagle office. When questioned about his own cotton crop he said: "I am sure I am conservative in my estimate when I say my cotton has deteriorated at least one third in the last ten days from drought and worms." This same report comes from almost every section of Brazos county.

KYLE'S AT PALMER LAKE

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Kyle and daughter, Miss Lillie Bess Kyle, write from Palmer Lake, Colorado, to Bryan friends that they are pleasantly situated and say: "It is hard to believe that it is not anywhere, as it is so delightfully cool here." The Kyle's made the trip in their car and expect to be away until some time in September.

BENTLEY'S ARRIVE OKLA.

(From Monday's Daily.)

Post cards to Bryan friends dated Saturday, August 4, bring greetings from Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Bentley at Stillwater, Okla., where they and their family have gone to spend their vacation. "We have arrived. Drove here in less than three days. Some day we are going to spend a vacation at Sulphur Springs, Okla., and wander about in Pratt National Park and swim to our hearts content. It is beautiful."

BABY FRANCES BETTER

Mrs. W. E. Graham, who was called to Robstown on account of the serious illness of her little grand baby, Frances Ford, daughter of Prof. and Mrs. A. B. Ford, sends the message to Bryan friends that little Frances is much improved and physicians now consider her out of danger. Mrs. Graham expects to return to Bryan next Wednesday. The many Bryan friends of Prof. and Mrs. Ford will rejoice to learn of the recovery of their little daughter.

Baylor expected to have advantage of A. & M. coming year.

(By Jinx Tucker)

And the Mustang backers will probably continue to think so until Oct. 26. That's when they meet A. & M. at College Station. So far as its schedule is concerned Baylor will have an advantage over A. and M. The Aggies will have to show considerable to defeat S. M. U. Oct. 26, and the entire Baylor coaching staff will be on hand to watch 'em do it, for on the next week the Aggies meet the bears in Waco. The week prior to the Aggies game, the Bears meet Quachita college, a non-conference eleven. Texas University, however, has an even greater advantage over Baylor than the Bears have over the Aggies, for while A. and M. and Baylor are mixing it the week prior to the Baylor-Texas game, the Longhorn will be playing the Southwest university club, a T. I. A. A. entry.

Cotton bales coming into Bryan rapidly.

(From Monday's Daily.)

Bales of cotton so far received in Bryan total 67. In detail, the points where received are: Farmers' Union Warehouse, 7; Eden gin, 3; Parker Warehouse, 41; Bryan Press Company, 16.

Katy fireman dead result bullet wound.

(By Associated Press)

DENISON, Tex., Aug. 8.—Paul Jones, age 24, former Katy fireman, died today as a result of a bullet wound, inflicted during an altercation in a restaurant here today. William Swinney, owner of the restaurant, is in jail in connection with the shooting.

Nueces county gins 20,000 bales to date.

(By Associated Press)

CORPUS CHRISTI, Tex., Aug. 7.—With almost every gin in the county running at full blast, picking under way in all fields and wagons lining highways in every part of the county the result shows a total of 20,590 bales of cotton ginned in this county up to Saturday night.

Morris Sheppard to see Harding funeral.

(By Associated Press)

SULPHUR SPRINGS, Tex., Aug. 7.—Senator Morris Sheppard today cancelled his speaking date at the old settlers' reunion here on Friday, August 10, to attend the funeral of President Harding in Marion, Ohio.

Read all Eagle advertisements.

ABSENCE OF BREEDING PLACES A KNOCK-OUT TO DENGUE MOSQUITO

(By W. S. Bizzell, State Board of Health.)

The old saying that ignorance is bliss cannot be applied to the mosquitoes. Ignorance of the life history and habits of mosquitoes results in their presence in large numbers and but little bliss is possible in that case. This ignorance may be divided into two kinds: First—the abysmal kind, that does not even know that water is required for the development of mosquitoes. This type is rare in Bryan, however, owing to the publicity given the matter by the Bryan Eagle and to the work of the city officials through their inspectors. Then there is the second kind of ignorance which has learned to look with suspicion on all standing water, particularly that in branches and in streams and yet does not realize that ninety per cent of a city's mosquitoes are produced in artificial containers around the houses. There seems to be a restraining absence of this type in Bryan also.

Result of Carelessness.

Of course in addition there is every day human carelessness and forgetfulness to contend with. As a result watering troughs are not completely emptied every few days. Waste water drains and refrigerator drips are not oiled at least once a week. Cisterns, old wells, and rain barrels are left uncovered and un-oiled. Considering that a mosquito will lay two hundred eggs each week and considering the number of breeding places, it is surprising that Bryan mosquitoes are not more numerous than they are. For this credit must be given to the city inspectors and also to the co-operation of the citizens in reporting to them the presence of mosquitoes about their homes. This is an important assistance, for the mosquitoes prevalent here do not travel far from their breeding place. Consequently a complaint leads to a surer discovery of the source. Such a canvas as the city has just completed is particularly effective against the dengue-carrying mosquitoes which breed exclusively in artificial containers about the houses. In fact they may be called domestic mosquitoes. They lose their domesticity however when their breeding places are destroyed. They must fly off looking for water on which to lay their eggs, like prize fighters they never "come back". In a few weeks the mosquito population should be negligible.

Critical stage for cotton plants says report to Beason.

(From Monday's Daily.)

County Agent C. L. Beason is in receipt of a report from the United States Department of Agriculture giving the condition of the cotton crop on July 25 for the several sections of the state as well as for the state as a whole. For the state as a whole the report says, "The cotton crop in Texas has reached its most critical stage and the matter of rainfall during the early part of August will be the determining influence upon the final outcome."

The report for each section is as follows: Northwest—General rain very soon would assure big crop; large percentage of plants small, due to replanting; unless rains come soon, crop will be abnormally early and of inferior grade and low yield.

North—Great improvement possible if rains come soon; some localities without rain in 7 weeks.

Northeast—Crop in critical stage and rains is greatest need except in few localities that are too wet.

West and West Center—There has been considerable deterioration in the past week and rain is badly needed.

Center—There was promise of a bumper crop two weeks ago; hot winds, drouth and showers have caused plants to throw off rapidly.

East—Unless rains come soon, deterioration will be rapid; too much rain prior to five weeks ago, little since; there have been four days of hot winds.

South—Ginning has been active since late June and the number of bales exceeds last year's; good yields are reported. The leaf worm has damaged some counties as much as 30 per cent.

Southeast—Due to lateness of crop, much may still happen before maturity; the early cotton is good, the late is in doubt.

County Agent Beason says that on July 25 the prospect for Brazos county was generally good, but that deterioration during the present week has been, due to hot wet winds great, estimates of deterioration varying from ten to fifty per cent. Possibly 15 to 20 per cent would be the average deterioration for the county. It is doubtful whether rain would benefit the crop at this stage; on the other hand, rain would increase possibility of damage by leaf worm and boll worms, which have already made appearance in many localities. Due to liberal use of fertilizer and poison, etc., the cotton crop for Brazos county has been made at a tremendous cost this year.

Waldrop's on vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Waldrop and son, Allister, left early this morning in their auto for Waco to visit Mrs. Waldrop's mother, Mrs. M. B. Willis. Later they will go to Land's Park, New Braunfels, thence to San Antonio, returning to Bryan by way of Austin for a visit to Miss Nanne Shel Waldrop, who is there attending summer school. They expect to be away from Bryan the greater part of August.

Miss Essie McSwain of Wellborn who has been teaching in summer school at Port Arthur has returned home to spend the remainder of the summer.

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CUMMINS WOULD LIMIT PRESIDENT TO A TERM OFFICE IS SO TAXING

(By Associated Press)

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 7.—A Federal amendment limiting future President to one term was advocated here by Senator Albert B. Cummins (Rep.), Iowa, "president pro tem of the United States Senate. Senator Cummins was en route to Washington to aid in preparation for President Harding's funeral. "Of course, President Harding would have been renominated had he lived," Senator Cummins said, "but I always have believed that one term is enough. The great responsibilities and the tremendous strain of the office are more than any man can stand."

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COOLIDGE CONSIDERS RURAL CLAIM FEDERAL HELP EARLY IN TERM

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Aug. 7.—The question of federal aid to the farmer was one the problems to which President Coolidge turned his attention Monday in formulating the policies of his administration. Fred Starck, director of the War Finance Corporation, which has many millions of dollars of agricultural credit outstanding, conferred with the chief executive and gave him an outline of the steps President Harding had in mind for the benefit of agricultural interest.

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